



DCS Support

- DSCA Policy Memo 06-41
C4.5.17. Department of Defense (DoD) Support to Direct Commercial Sales (DCS). U.S. industry may request defense articles and services from the DoD to support a DCS to a foreign country or international organization. Defense articles and/or services provided to U.S. industry must be accomplished pursuant to applicable statutory authority including Section 30 of the AECA (reference (c)). Section 30 of the AECA authorizes the sales of defense articles or defense services to U.S. companies...



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- Sections 30, 38 and 39 of the AECA clarify that a DoD sale to a US company must occur only when that company has a contract with either the USG or with the foreign country as part of an Foreign Military Sale (FMS).
- DCS is a contract between the foreign country and the US company
 - No DoD involvement
- Bottom Line: No DoD sales to DCS vendors